



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 6672
Representative Gus Bilirakis
Bilirakis for Congress and John
Koulianos in his official capacity
as treasurer

Dear Mr. McGinley:

On November 1, 2012, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients, Representative Gus Bilirakis and Bilirakis for Congress and John Koulianos in his official capacity as treasurer, of a Complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act").

On April 23, 2013, the Commission considered the Complaint but there were an insufficient number of votes to find reason to believe that your clients violated the Act. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A Statement of Reasons providing the basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

If you have any questions, please contact Shana M. Broussard, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

William Powers
Assistant General Counsel

cc: Representative Gus Bilirakis

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